







## MISCELLANY.

### Mark Smith in a New Character.

The play-bills of St. Louis, and Cincinnati, in announcing an engagement with the popular comedian, Mark Smith, mention his "return from Europe," though why we cannot understand, for he did not go there with any intention of acting—taking with him only a carpet-bag—intending to see rather than be seen. He was met in London by his younger brother, Sol (Jr.), and together they went through the agreeable task of sight-seeing in that great city. We have been made acquainted with an incident which took place at the celebrated "exhibition of Madame Tussard & Son," Baker street, which will show that though our friend Mark did not intend to act in London, he was compelled to do a little bit of pantomime, without a rehearsal, and that his impromptu acting was quite effective.

The two brothers were in what is called the "Chamber of Horrors," viewing the portraits and wax-figures of celebrated murderers, when Mark, to obtain a better view of a fine painting on an opposite wall, stepped upon a platform whereon stood the "counterfeit presentment," (in wax) of some of the most notorious criminals, who had been duly executed during the present century. Just as he had got his eyes fixed upon the painting, a cockney gentleman, with his wife, and child and nurse, came along and one of them asked Sol (who had a catalogue in his hand) who that figure (indicating Mark) represented. Sol, who is always ready for a joke, solemnly read from the catalogue as follows:

"266. Daniel Good. (Taken from life.) The murderer of Jane Jones, whose body he cut asunder and burnt!"

"Well," said the cockney, directing his look full upon Mark's countenance, which, by this time, had become fixed as marble, "that is natural as life, I'm sure! Did you ever see, my dear, such a villainous looking face?"

"I can't say, husband," replied the wife, "that I see anything so very villainous in the countenance; on the contrary, I should never have taken it for that of a murderer; it looks rather amiable, I think."

The child here put in—"Pa, lift me up, and let me have a good look at Mr. Good." (Mark could hardly help bursting out laughing, but decided to hold out a little longer.) The child was lifted up so that she could look right into the face of the "figure," when the actor could not resist the temptation to give a very slight, but very distinct wink to the young Miss, who, affrighted, exclaimed, "put me down! put me down! As true as the world, ma, that murderer winked at me!"

"Nonsense, my child," exclaimed the mother, "it was your imagination."

"No, ma, indeed it was a real wink; my imagination never winked like that. It was a very little wink, but it was a wink."

The nurse here intervened to quiet the child, who appeared very much frightened indeed. "See," said the girl, "I will look right into his face, and let us see if he will wink at me." And sure enough she stepped up and faced the figure. Mark gave her a most decided wink, which drew up the corner of his mouth to a degree that was very peculiar. The nurse almost fell back into the arms of her master and mistress, exclaiming, "There's no mistake about it, that was a wink, and a big one, too! It's done by machinery, I guess."

"Machinery, nonsense!" said the man; "let me look into this matter." To this he was encouraged by the mischief-loving Sol, and the father and husband stepped boldly up and faced the supposed murderer. "There is no machinery here—no winking of the eyes, that I can perceive." Then growing bolder, he began to address the figure in the way of banter: "You're a pretty fellow, now, ar'nt you? Oh, you monster, you murderer of innocent girls! If I had been on the jury that tried you, there would have been no need of evidence; your very looks would have been enough to hang you."

"Pa," said the child, "suppose you touch his face. That beard looks as if it might be real. Pinch his nose, and pull his ears." "Certainly, my dear," answered the father; "I ain't afraid to touch him—let's see if he'll wink at me!" He accordingly raised his hand as if to feel the beard of the actor, when—there was no wink this time, but a gradual turning of the eyes, (both eyes,) upon the cockney, such as the Commandante might turn upon Lepporello, in Don Giovanni, and a sudden snap of the teeth toward the uplifted hand. The father, mother, child and nurse, without waiting to examine further into the "machinery" pushed for the door, declaring that they never would visit the Chamber of Horrors again.

### A Philosophic Negro.

Who can read the following, and question whether negroes have the power of reasoning? We copy from a correspondent of the Cincinnati Commercial, traveling in Georgia. He there came across an aged negro, called "Old Ben," of whom he relates this incident:

Old Ben brought us a watermelon; and, while we were eating, the old chattel started his master by a sudden aggressive movement of his intellectual machinery.

"Massa William," (addressing his master) "is one thing; if the slaves gwine to be free, what's gwine to become o' de ole folks?"

"What do you think should be done, Ben?" said I, interposing.

"I tink you, Massa William, ought to take care o' em."

"But," said his master, "why should I do that when you are free?"

"Cause I done worked for you, massa, all my life. You got my labor, when I can't work no more, you have got to take keer o' me."

"Well, but that labor of yours, Ben, I haven't got now; it's all spent if the slaves are freed."

"Can't help dat, massa; dat not my business. You has had de work; I haint had it. Now what am I gwine to do if you don't take keer o' me? Ef I'd bin allowed to keep my own labor, I would now hab enough. Dat's so, massa!"

"Well, but suppose I have not any thing to support you with, Ben?"

"You got de land, massa. You jist gib me de use ob a little patch o' land, I take keer of myself; you needn't feed me."

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June 13, 1865—6m.

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Oct. 10, 1865—3m.

### Proclamation by the G

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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS, it has been made known to me, that SAMUEL ANDERSON stands indicted in the Grant Circuit Court, for the murder of Washington Osborne, committed on the 3d October 1865, in Grant County, said Samuel Anderson, is now a fugitive from justice going at large.

Now, therefore, I, THOS. E. BRAMLETTE, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby offer a reward of THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS for the apprehension of the said Samuel Anderson and his delivery to the Jailor of Grant County, within one year from the date hereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be affixed. Done at Frankfort, this 27th day of November, A. D. 1865, and in the 74th year of the Commonwealth.

THOS. E. BRAMLETTE.

By the Governor:

E. L. VAN WINKLE, Secretary of State.

By JAS. R. PAGE, Asst. Sec'y.

Nov. 28—3mos.

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[April 7, 1862—1t.]

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July 14, 1865.

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T. C. KYTE, Agent.

August 19, 1864.

## REWARDS.

### Proclamation by the Governor.

### \$500 REWARD.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS, it has been made known to me that JOHN and ROBERT WISEMAN, of the county of Estill, State of Kentucky, did on the 30th day of October, 1865, maliciously shoot and kill Clayton Witt, of said county, and they have fled from justice and are going at large:

Now, therefore, I, THOS. E. BRAMLETTE, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby offer a reward of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS each, for the apprehension of the said John and Robert Wiseman, and their delivery to the jailor of Estill county within one year from the date hereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be affixed. Done at Frankfort, this 8th day of November, A. D. 1865, and in the 74th year of the Commonwealth.

THOS. E. BRAMLETTE.

By the Governor:

E. L. VAN WINKLE, Secretary of State.

By JAS. R. PAGE, Assistant Secretary.

### DESCRIPTION.

John Wiseman is about 5 feet 6 inches high, weighs 135 lbs, dark complexion, blue eyes, dark hair, round shouldered, bow legged, scar on one of his breasts, supposed to have been shot. He is about 34 or 35 years old.

Robert Wiseman, age about 33 years, about 6 feet high, weight 165 or 170 pounds, bow legged, rather dark complexion, dark hair, blue eyes, scar as long as the palm of the hand on the right thigh, made by a burn.

Nov. 10—1865—3m.

### Proclamation by the Governor.

### \$300 REWARD.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS, it has been made known to me that WM. J. GRAY, JR., did, on the 3d day of Sept., 1865, murder Policeman Edward Bond whilst in the discharge of his official duties in the city of Louisville, Ky., and is now a fugitive from justice.

Now, therefore, I, THOS. E. BRAMLETTE, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby offer a reward of THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS for the apprehension of said WM. J. GRAY, JR., and the delivery of him to the Jailor of Jefferson county, within one year from this date.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be affixed. Done at Frankfort, this 19th day of Oct., A. D. 1865, and in the 74th year of the Commonwealth.

THOS. E. BRAMLETTE.

By the Governor:

E. L. VAN WINKLE, Secretary of State.

By JAS. R. PAGE, Assistant Secretary.

### DESCRIPTION.

Wm. J. Gray is about 23 years of age, 6 feet high and stoops a little. Wore, when last seen, long, light auburn hair. Has blue eyes, long nose, sallow complexion. Acted at one time as a guerrilla with Capt. Hedge in Nelson, Bullitt, and Spencer counties.

Oct. 24, 1865—3m.

### Proclamation by the Governor.

### \$500 REWARD.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS, it has been made known to me that at the February term, 1865, of the Garrard Circuit Court an indictment was found by the Grand Jury of said Court against JAMES and GREEN SLAUGHTER, for the murder of Abraham Pollard, and they are now fugitives from justice.

Now, therefore, I, THOS. E. BRAMLETTE, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby offer a reward of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS each for the apprehension of said James and Green Slaughter, and their delivery to the Jailor of Garrard county, within one year from the date hereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have